

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

**REQUEST FOR CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION  
UNDER 35 U.S.C. §255 AND 37 C.F.R. §1.323**

APPLICANT: Urban Blomberg, et al.      GROUP ART UNIT: 3735  
SERIAL NO.: 10/706,812      EXAMINER: Robert L. Nasser  
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TITLE: METHOD AND BREATHING APPARATUS  
FOR ASSESSING PULMONARY STRESS

**MAIL STOP AMENDMENT**

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The Applicants and patent owner herewith request a Certificate of Correction under 35 U.S.C. §255 AND 37 C.F.R. §1.323. There are three errors to be corrected, two of which are mistakes on the part of the Patent and Trademark Office, and one of which is a mistake on the part of the Applicant. Since one of the mistakes arose on the part of the Applicant, this Request is being filed pursuant to the aforementioned statute and rule.

This Request is accompanied by Form PTO/SB/44 wherein the mistakes to be corrected are identified.

The language that is being added at column 3, line 25 is present in the application as originally filed at page 5, lines 19-21 (last three lines of the page). The omission of this language from the printed patent therefore occurred through Patent and Trademark Office error.

The language that is to be added at column 5, line 24, is present in the Specification as originally filed at page 10, lines 2-6. The omission of this language from the printed patent therefore arose through Patent and Trademark Office error.

The correction that is being made in claim 5 is for the purpose of correcting a typographical error that occurred in the amendment made to claim 5 in Amendment A filed June 25, 2007. A comma was intended to be inserted after the word "compliance" and the phrase "said stress and a value" was intended to read "said stress index value," conforming in terms of antecedent bases to the term "stress index value" that is used earlier in claim 5 (at column 8, line 22 of the printed patent).

This Request is accompanied by electronic payment in the amount of \$100.00 for the fee required by 37 C.F.R. §1.323, and set forth in 37 C.F.R. §1.20(a).

Granting of this Request is respectfully requested.

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PATENT NO. : 7,322,937  
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It is certified that an error appears or errors appear in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

In column 3, cancel lines 26 and 27 and substitute the following therefor:  
--contribution.

The above object also is achieved in accordance with the breathing apparatus that operates according to the above-described method.--

In column 5, line 24, after "a second gas inlet 12B." insert: -- The gases are then mixed into a selected respiratory gas in a first regulator 14. One gas inlet would be sufficient if the respiratory gas was mixed outside the apparatus. More gas inlets can be used where the respiratory gas is to consist of more than two gases. In this embodiment air and oxygen are used as gases.--

In claim 5 at column 8, line 25, cancel "and a" and substitute --index-- therefor.

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